

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
DEC 06 2005

## FERENCE & ASSOCIATES

409 Broad Street, Suite 260  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15143  
Phone: (412) 741-8400  
Fax: (412) 741-9292  
Web: www.ferencelaw.com

### USPTO FACSIMILE COVER SHEET

---

To: Commissioner for Patents  
Fax Number: (571) 273-8300  
Date: December 6, 2005  
Pages: 3 pages (including this cover sheet)

---

#### MESSAGE:

METHOD, APPARATUS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT  
FOR INTEGRATING HETEROGENEOUS SYSTEMS  
Application Serial No. 09/683,902

Transmittal Letter  
Authorization to Act in a Representative Capacity

GB90000092US1  
(590.169)

THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS COMMUNICATION IS CONFIDENTIAL, MAY BE ATTORNEY-CLIENT PRIVILEGED, MAY CONSTITUTE INSIDE INFORMATION, AND IS INTENDED ONLY FOR THE USE OF THE ADDRESSEE. UNAUTHORIZED USE, DISCLOSURE OR COPYING IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED AND MAY BE UNLAWFUL.

IF YOU HAVE RECEIVED THIS COMMUNICATION IN ERROR,  
PLEASE IMMEDIATELY NOTIFY US ON (412) 741-8400.

DEC 06 2005

Atty. Docket No. GB920000092US1  
(590.169)

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

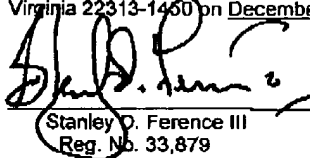
In re Application of : Charters et al  
Serial No. : 09/683,902 Examiner : Maniwang, Joseph  
Filed : February 28, 2002 Art Unit : 2144  
For : METHOD, APPARATUS AND COMPUTER  
PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR INTEGRATING  
HETEROGENEOUS SYSTEMS

December 6, 2005

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being facsimile transmitted on (571) 273-8300 to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on December 6, 2005.



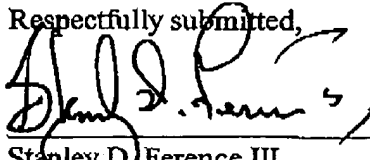
Stanley D. Ference III  
Reg. No. 33,879

December 6, 2005  
Date of Signature

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Authorization to Act in a Representative Capacity for the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,



Stanley D. Ference III  
Registration No. 33,879

Customer No. 35195  
FERENCE & ASSOCIATES  
409 Broad Street  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15143  
(412) 741-8400 - Telephone  
(412) 741-9292 - Facsimile

Attorneys for Applicants

Enclosure

Atty. Docket No. GB20000092US1  
(590.169)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

DEC 06 2005

In re Application of : Charters et al  
Serial No. : 09/683,902 Examiner: Maniwang, Joseph  
Filed : February 28, 2002 Art Unit: 2144  
For : METHOD, APPARATUS AND COMPUTER  
PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR INTEGRATING  
HETEROGENEOUS SYSTEMS

**AUTHORIZATION TO ACT IN A REPRESENTATIVE CAPACITY**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

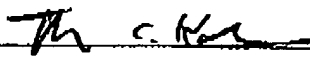
Sir:

The practitioner named below is authorized to conduct interviews and has the authority to bind the principal concerned. Furthermore, the practitioner is authorized to file correspondence in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.34:

Stanley D. Ference III  
Registration No. 33,879

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 27, 2005

  
Stephen C. Kaufman  
Registration No. 29,551

One of the Attorneys of Record